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PREFACE

This weekly summary lists the air and naval order of battle imaged on photography covering North Vietnam. All active airfields and naval bases will be reported. Active targets are those where anorder of battle has been observed since Inactive targets showing an order of battle will be reactivated.

Naval vessels observed in river naval areas, dispersal areas, or untargeted areas and aircraft observed in untargeted areas will be located

Targets are arranged 1) within the country by subject,

2) within the subject by WAC area, and 3) within the WAC area by geographic coordinates in ascending order.

Coverage on each target will be presented in chronological order. Aircraft and naval vessels observed in untargeted areas will be listed separately at the end of this report.

An explanation of column headings and photoreferences used in presenting the information is contained in the appendix.

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	Target		Coordinates		WAC	Target Numbers		
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GR S N	THIS SUMMARY PRESENTS ORDER OF BATTLE INFORMATION ON TARGETS INTERPRETED BY NPIC DURING THE WEEK INDICATED ON THE COVER. -NORTH VIETNAM-							
	AIR INSTALLATIONS							
25X1A 25X1D	HAIPHONG/KIEN AN AIRFIELD COMOR TARGET NO		2Ø48N	1Ø636E	Ø616		109-B	
	AIRCRAFT NONE OBSERVED.							
25X1D			21 (42).	1Ø553E	Ø616		114	
25X1A 25X1D 25X1D	AIRCRAFT :NONE OBSERVED.		SIBSM	160005	D 010			
25X1A 25X1D	DONG HOI AIRFIELD COMOR TARGET NO COMOR TARGET AIRCRAFT NONE OBSERVED.		173ØN	1Ø635E	Ø617		1Ø8-B	
25X1D								
, 25X1A	VINH AIRFIELD COMOR TARGET NO METALON		1843N	10540E	Ø617 -		128-A	
25X1D	AIRCRAFT NONE OBSERVED.							
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Target Numbers Coordinates WAC Target BE NPIC MILITARY INSTALLATIONS 1742N 10629E Ø617 QUANG KHE NAVAL BASE CUU DINH 288 25X1A COMOR TARGET NO 25X1D VESSELS -- 1 POSSIBLE SWATOW-CLASS PGM. 25X1D VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. 25X1D SONG CA. (RIVER) NAVAL AREA 128-D1 1839N 10542E Ø617 25X1D VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. 25X1D PHUC LOI NAVAL BASE 1844N 10545E Ø617 128-M . COMOR TARGET NO 25X1A 25X1D VESSELS - - NONE OBSERVED. 25X1D VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. 25X1D SONG MA (RIVER) NAVAL AREA 1948N 1Ø555E Ø617 126-N1 25X1D VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. 25X1D

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			w.c	Target Numbers		
	Target	Target Coordinates		WAC	BE	NPIC
25X1A 25X1E 25X1E 25X1E 25X1E 25X1E	VESSELS NONE OBSERVED. BEN THUY PORT FACILITIES COMOR TARGET NO VESSELS NONE OBSERVED. VESSELS 1 SWATOW-CLASS PGM AND 1 FREIGHTER.		Ø642E	Ø616 Ø617		
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APPENDIX

COLUMN HEADINGS

City, Installation--This column contains the name of the city or town nearest the installation, followed by the name of the installation. If the name of the installation is not known, it is titled according to its function. Where appropriate, the city and installation names are followed by a capsule description.

<u>Coordinates</u>--Coordinates are referenced to the SW corner of the minute square. When the subject installation covers a wide area, coordinates are given for the approximate center of the installation.

<u>WAC--</u>This column provides the World Aeronautical Chart number for that area in which the subject installation is situated.

Installation Numbers--This column is divided into two subcolumns. The first subcolumn lists, when known, the BE installation number assigned to the installation. The second subcolumn lists the installation number assigned by NPIC. Installation numbers, when used to reference an item, should be prefixed by the appropriate WAC number, since installation numbers are repeated from WAC to WAC. For example, there is an NPIC target number 0468-15-A

and an NPIC target number 0467-15-A. In each instance, the NPIC installation number is 15-A, but the installations appear on different WAC charts.

COMOR TARGET NUMBERS

Target numbers assigned by the Committee on Overhead Reconnaissance (COMOR), when available, are listed directly above the photo reference data.

PHOTO REFERENCE DATA

The photo reference data indicates the frame(s) on which the installation appears.

CONDITIONS AFFECTING PHOTOGRAPHY

Following the photo reference data, symbols indicate conditions which affect the appearance of the installation on the photography. The symbols are: C (clear); SC (scattered cloud cover); HC (heavy cloud cover); SC-HC (scattered-to-heavy cloud cover); H (haze); CS (cloud shadow); SD (semidarkness); S (snow); PC (partial coverage); O (obliquity); and PQ (poor image quality).

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